

AORANGI TAKES
THE NEXT MAIL

Hurry up and get your letters for the States ready! Mail will be dispatched on the Aorangi to the Canadian-Australian line tomorrow and will reach San Francisco at least a day earlier than that sent on the Mongolia. The latter vessel was scheduled to sail for the coast but has been delayed and will not arrive from the Orient until next Monday. As she has 1700 tons of freight it is not likely that she will be able to get away before Tuesday morning. On this schedule she will not arrive in San Francisco before the 2nd of October. Mail sent on the Aorangi via Victoria will make the trip to San Francisco in at least a day better time and will reach the Atlantic coast much ahead of the Mongolia's mail. It is not often that it is possible to get mail to San Francisco quicker by this route out it was done on the last C-A. boat, the Manuka.

The next boat from the States will be the Alameda which is due with nine days' mail on Friday. Following her will come the Korea on the 27th. The Manuka will bring the Victoria mail Saturday. Mail from the Colonies will come on the Aorangi tomorrow and from the Orient on the Mongolia next Monday. Mail is coming much more regularly from the coast than it did a few weeks ago. From this time until the end of the year, barring accidents, there will be only two intervals of over seven days, one of them of eight and one of nine days. During July and August there were two periods of twelve days each when there was no mail.

VESSELS IN PORT.

MERCHANT VESSELS.

A. E. Smaile, Am. schr., Wirschuleit, Karatsu, Japan, Sept. 2.
Archer, Am. bkt., Lancaster, San Francisco, Sept. 8.
Brookfield, Br. sp., Olsen, Iquique, Sept. 6.
Erskine, M. Phelps, Am. sp., Graham, Philadelphia, Aug. 31.
Fort Figard, It. sp., Shafino, Newcastle, Sept. 1.
Hawian Isles, Am. sp., Mallett, Newcastle, Aug. 13.
Helene, Am. schr., Thompson, San Francisco, Aug. 11.
James Tuft, Am. bkt., Friedberg, Hakodate, Sept. 18.
Lavinia, Am. schr., Welsbath, Laysan Island, Aug. 28.
Queen Victoria, Br. sp., Baker, Cardiff, Sept. 2.
Robert Lewers, Am. sc., Underwood, Laysan Island, Sept. 4.
Santiago, Am. bk., Anderson, San Francisco, Aug. 28.

The Mails

Mails are due from the following points as follows:

San Francisco—Per Alameda, Sept. 23.
Sydney—Per Aorangi, Sept. 21.
Victoria—Per Manuka, Sept. 24.
Yokohama—Per Mongolia, Sept. 26.

Mails will depart as follows:
San Francisco—Per Mongolia, Sept. 26.
Sydney—Per Manuka, Sept. 24.
Victoria—Per Aorangi, Sept. 21.
Yokohama—Per Korea, Sept. 28.

The mail for the States will be dispatched per C-A. S. S. Aorangi tomorrow.

Mongolia is Late.

The Pacific Mail liner Mongolia, which was scheduled to arrive here Saturday, will not reach this port until Monday and will probably sail for the coast on Tuesday. She left Yokohama last Saturday with one of the largest cargoes that an Oriental liner has brought here from the Far East for several months. It consists of 1700 tons of general freight, mostly Japanese and Chinese foodstuffs. There will be room for 175 passengers from Honolulu to San Francisco.

The Sugar List.

The following sugar is ready for shipment: On Maui—H. S. Co., 2500; P. S. M., —; H. A. Co., 600; H., 2000. On Kauai—K. S. M., 3500; V. K., 700; J. & R., 25.

Shipping Notes.

The transport Thomas reached San Francisco safely last Friday.

The ship Kaitani arrived from Aki's landing yesterday afternoon.

This morning the steamer Mauna Loa should arrive from her regular run to Kona and Kauai ports.

The steamer Likelike sailed for Maui and Molokai ports last night with a very light passenger list.

The schooner Alice Cooke sailed for Port Townsend yesterday at 11 a. m. She went up in ballast and will load lumber.

The ship Brodick Castle will sail for San Francisco tomorrow with the remaining 1,000 tons of her nitrate cargo. She discharged 1,700 tons here.

An addition to Naval Row is the old schooner Eclipse which has been towed over from the Inter-Island wharves and anchored among the other old hulks.

Max Schlemmer will sail this week in the Robert Lewers for Port Townsend where he will try to get a smaller schooner to put in the guano trade between this port and San Francisco.

BILIOUS COLIC PREVENTED.—Take a double dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as soon as the first indication of the ailment appears and a threatened attack may be ward off. Hundreds of people who are subject to attacks of bilious colic use the remedy in this way with perfect success. For sale by Druggists and Dealers. Benson, Smith & Co. Ltd. Agents for Hawaii.

Homeward Bound.

A cable dispatch from Midway announces the safe arrival of Captain Niblack and the U. S. S. Froquois with supplies and mails. She sailed on the return trip on Saturday and should reach Honolulu about Thursday.

HANGED HIMSELF
WHILE INTOXICATED

The Japanese who committed suicide on Sunday afternoon by hanging himself to a rafter of the house in which he was living, was a peddler of carved wooden trays and powder boxes. His handiwork was artistic and he appeared to sell his wares readily.

On Sunday the man came to a house in Manoa to receive the remainder of some money due him on a sale of goods. The man was there at 11 a. m., and seemed anxious to get his money, for after a brief salutation, he hurried down the hill. Shortly afterward he is said to have bought a large quantity of gin and whiskey upon which he proceeded to get drunk. It was while in this condition that he hanged himself.

FASTED UNTIL
STAR CAME

The celebration of the feast of Yom Kippur, or Day of Atonement, was observed in Honolulu yesterday by the Jewish residents. From sundown on Sunday evening until the appearance of the evening star last night the Jews fasted. In the meantime, although no collective religious ceremony was held, the orthodox ones prayed.

Most of the Jewish business houses were closed, some, however, remaining open, after a few hours spent by the proprietors in observing the religious portion of the celebration.

Tanaka Was Cool.

Sheriff Coney of Kauai has made a report to High Sheriff Brown on the assault made on Police Officer Tanaka by a mob of Japanese who were incensed over Tanaka's success in running down illicit booze sellers. Sheriff Coney reports that Tanaka acted with the utmost coolness and had a most narrow escape from death. He says that the Japanese at Kilauea are a very bad lot.

BISHOP AND CYCLIST.

Right Rev. Dr. Charles John Elliott, bishop of Gloucester, is an active tricyclist, notwithstanding the fact that his lordship has reached his 85th year. He has only taken to the three-wheeler within the last decade, having always been passionately fond of walking. Skating and mountaineering, too, until quite recent years, have been among the bishop's recreations. At one time, indeed, he was the finest figure-skater anywhere around Gloucester.

The sale of Chartley Hall, the ancestral home of the Earl of Ferrers, recalls to the Marquis de Fontenay the historic hanging of the fourth Earl Ferrers, May, 1760, for the murder of his steward, a man of the name of Harold. The earl, who killed the man in the most cold-blooded fashion, was tried by his peers in the House of Lords, and found guilty unanimously, the sentence of death being pronounced upon him by Lord High Chancellor Henley, who presided at the trial as lord high steward. The earl was allowed to drive to the gallows in his own state carriage, drawn by six horses, which was followed by a hearse and six, and it is on record that the rope with which he was hanged was of silk instead of hemp.

It is said that when President Polk visited Boston he was impressively received at Faneuil Hall Market. Secretary Rhodes walked in front of him down the length of the market announcing in loud tones: "Make way, gentlemen, for the President of the United States! Fellow citizens, make room!" The chief executive had stepped into one of the stalls to look at some game, when Mr. Rhodes, the secretary, turned around suddenly, and finding himself alone, promptly changed his tone, and exclaimed: "My gracious, where has that damned idiot got to?"

Upon one occasion when "Tom" Taggart, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, was distributor of the spoils, there was much speculation as to who would be the coroner of Marion county, Ind. There were plenty of doctors who were anxious for the job, but only one of them, a dapper young physician, had the nerve to ask Taggart about it. "Mr. Taggart," he said, "I have come all the way down to your office to ask whom you favor for the nomination for coroner. I do not like to go ahead without knowing where I stand." Taggart slapped him on the back, and smiled in his most winsome manner. "I tell you one thing," he said, "you are no worse off than you were."

Representative Hull of Iowa, sent some garden seed to a constituent last spring. They came from the Department of Agriculture and were inclosed in one of the regular franked government envelopes. On the corner of each of these envelopes appears this legend: "Penalty for private use \$300." A few days later Hull received a letter from his constituent, which read: "Dear Mr. Hull: I don't know what to do about those garden seeds you sent me. I don't want to use them for the public. I want to plant them in my private garden. I can't afford to pay \$300 for the privilege. Won't you see if you can't fix it so I can use them privately, for I am a law-abiding citizen and do not want to commit any crime?"

Deputy Sheriff Rex Hitchcock reports that the Maui night and the official parties have checked the growth of lanterns on Molokai.

COUPLE
START ON
NEW RUN

Under a dainty canopy of maiden hair ferns and white asters Miss Minerva Unikelaia Fernandez and Mr. Stanley Cutter were married last evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Fernandez at Kaili-haena. The ceremony was performed in the small parlor which was transformed into a pretty bower of green and white masts and ferns relieved by waxy white asters and bachelor buttons forming an attractive decorative scheme.

The marriage took place shortly after 8 o'clock and was witnessed mainly by members of the family and intimate friends. The bridesmaid was Miss Ahola, who was attired in pink, the groom being attended by Mr. Samuel Chillingworth as best man. The ceremony was performed by the father of the bride, he being an elder of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The bride looked winsome in a handsome gown of white point d'esprit over white silk, the wedding veil being caught at the coiffure with orange blossoms.

Following the ceremony the couple received beneath the bridal canopy. The reception began at 8:30 at which time a large number of guests began to arrive. Among these were the groom's associates of the Rapid Transit operating force, those present at that time being the members of the day force. At 12:30 this morning a special car left the car barns and went to Kaili, carrying all the men of the night force who had just been relieved from duty. The bride and groom held a special reception for them. The car was placed at the disposal of the men by Manager Ballentyne as a mark of favor toward the groom. The gift of the groom's associates was a handsome purse containing \$65 in gold. Among other presents were sets of table silver, paintings, linen, furniture, ornaments and calabashes.

Following the first reception the guests repaired to the lawn upon which had been erected a large luncheon which was handsomely decorated with Hawaiian and American flags. Two huge Hawaiian ensigns covered the ceiling. A Hawaiian orchestra played throughout the evening and the guests danced to their heart's content. The first waltz was danced by the bride and groom. Dainty refreshments were served, a host of young people assisting in providing for the guests.

The couple will reside at the Bromley residence, Anapuni street.

GOLF AND HUNTING
NEAR HALEIWA HOTEL

Sunday next, the 25th, should be the liveliest that Haleiwa has ever seen. Not only is the second golf tournament for the beautiful Haleiwa challenge cup, which, by the way, is now on exhibition in Woods & Sheldon's window, but the Royal Hawaiian band will be there to play all day. Many will take advantage of this musical treat, for Capt. Berger leaves on his vacation on the 28th, which means that for a month there will be no public concerts. A large delegation of golfers will go down, the Honolulu and Manoa Golf Clubs being on their mettle as Haleiwa won the cup in the first contest through the excellent playing of Dr. Herbert Wood. The local players, however, say that on Sunday evening next the trophy will come to town to stay.

Saturday evening the hotel gives a French dinner, with music by the Quintette Club, followed by a dance. The Haleiwa links already vastly improved, will be in almost perfect condition, as a force of men has been busy for some time cutting grass and removing weeds, brush, loose stones and all other impediments. The putting greens will all be full twenty yards, closely mowed with a lawn mower. For the benefit of those who purpose entering the tournament we publish the "boundaries of the course" as established at a recent meeting by the Haleiwa Golf Club: The ocean, Anapuni river, mauka fence of the main road leading from Haleiwa to Wailua station and the fence to the westward of the course leading up to the 5th hole. Any ball driven into the ocean or river or across either of the fences mentioned is "out of bounds." In other words, it must be brought back as near as possible to the point from which it was driven, with a loss of distance only, and redress. This ruling will settle many arguments which might possibly arise.

HOTEL REGISTRATIONS.

Registrations at Haleiwa hotel for the fortnight ending September 18th are as follows: Mrs. G. W. Macfarlane, Miss Eileen Macfarlane, Honolulu; H. H. James, San Francisco; H. T. Hayles, Honolulu; Harry T. Walker, Hamakua; C. M. Lovsted, Ailan Dunn, Honolulu; H. M. Anderson, wife and children, Waimanalo; Captain A. L. Soule, wife and children, Richard Ives, R. de W. Connor, H. M. Whitney, W. Lang, Mrs. K. L. Veda, Miss Belle Veda, E. B. Gifford, H. H. James and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shaw and Roy Chamberland.

S. T. ALEXANDER DIED
AT VICTORIA FALLS

Yesterday Prof. Alexander cabled for further information about the locality where his brother, the late S. T. Alexander, met with his fatal accident. The place is Victoria Falls and the body was buried there and not at Capetown, as reported.

The Victoria Falls are among nature's masterpieces. Situated in the heart of what was once known only as "Darkest Africa," and said to be protected from vision of white men by dense jungles, rank and extraordinary growths of tropical vegetation, among which lived the largest members of the reptile family as well as herds of rhinoceros, elephants, lions, and all the wild creatures of the unexplored sections of the great continent, the falls seemed to have been unvisited even by the ancients who knew so much about Africa, its pygmies, negro braves and gold resources. For centuries the falls were hardly known in tradition, but in 1855 David Livingstone discovered them. On one of the great rocks there he carved his name and a brief story of his mission. In 1861 he visited them again and was still able to record that no other white man had ever seen the wonder. But today a railway stretches northward from Bulawayo, capital of Rhodesia, to Victoria Falls—a link in Cecil Rhodes's unfinished Cape-to-Cairo line.

GREAT, WITHOUT BEAUTY.

South Africa, as the world accepts that term in describing the geographical features of Africa, is bordered on the north by the Zambezi river, a sluggish stream, deep and carrying a great volume of water. The Zambezi starts from the high plains of the southern portion of the Congo Free State, in Western Central Africa, and goes in an easterly direction across Africa to the Indian ocean. As the river goes eastward across the high plains it strikes the jungles on the western borders of Matabeleland, one of the States which made up Cecil Rhodes's empire, Rhodesia. As the river reaches Matabeleland it plunges into the jungle and has cut an immense canyon to the sea. To know the greatness of Victoria Falls, they must be compared with Niagara. The Victoria Falls, unlike Niagara, possess little beauty.

The volume of water in the Zambezi is, in the rainy season, five times the volume that huris itself over Niagara from Lake Erie. The height of Victoria Falls is almost three times the height of Niagara, and yet the African cataract as compared with our American wonder is worthy of little note. At Niagara one can stand off and see the huge mass of water tumble over the edge of a precipice and watch it drop the entire height of the falls. With Victoria it is different. Imagine a river almost exactly a mile wide; imagine the river bed at right angles to the course of the stream a number of glacier-like fissures, about eighty yards wide and four hundred feet deep. Into this crack the water falls and escapes at the bottom through similar zigzag fissures of the same depth. One cannot see the water falling. It is like poring water into a long, narrow, deep dish. There is little of the spectacular in that process. One can hear the roar—Livingstone heard it twenty miles off—and one can see the high columns of mist caused by the air, which the falling water carries down and compresses, rebounding to a great height and carrying spray with it. These high columns of mist, bending gracefully with the wind, make about all the scenic effect there is with Victoria Falls. One man who visited the falls says: "We had been travelling for days from Bulawayo to the falls, sometimes cutting our way through rank grass and woods which reared themselves to a height of over fifteen feet. When near the falls we heard what might be termed the continual roar of powerful cannon. It sound like one would imagine were he to come up to the jumping off place of the world and listen to thousands of acres of land dropping off into space. Soon we could see a mist, not so much a mist as a collection of rainbows for the great clouds of fine fog like substance which spurted into the air were studded with rainbows, caused by the rays of the sun."

The mist which rises from the Victoria Falls pit is called by the natives, in their own peculiar words, "Smoke that sounds." This is why they call the falls "Mossi-oo-tunia" or "Roaring Smoke." Around this pit of the falls are perpendicular walls of basalt.

The total length of the Zambezi river, from its delta at Chinde, East Africa, is between 1500 and 1600 miles. O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O-O Honolulu; Miss Clara Rogers, California; Miss Alice M. Rycroft, Alfred C. Wall, D. D. S.; Geo. P. Denison and Robt. B. Booth, Honolulu; Mr. P. Peck, Miss S. Peck and Miss E. S. Peck, Hilo; Mrs. J. F. Morgan, Honolulu; Miss A. D. Anthony, Oakland, California; Messrs. L. Todd, B. F. Lee, K. W. Martinoff, J. Alaw, O. E. Wall, W. G. Irwin and W. F. Dillingham of Honolulu; E. W. Hopkins, Menlo Park, James E. White, Pittsburg; Mrs. W. P. Stinson and Miss Sumner, San Francisco.

H. M. Whitney, Wilhelm Lanz, Dick Ivers and Mr. Layard, the British consul, have just returned from a two days' hunting trip at Haleiwa with a nice bag of sixteen pheasants. They hunted Halemanu and Kawaihoa. There are several fine broods which were seen by Dr. Wood of Wailua a few days before the opening of the hunting season that have apparently so far escaped the nimrods, as nearly all the pheasants brought in were old birds.

The big tract of 10,600 acres at Kawaihoa, Hawaii, which was put up at auction by the Queen's Hospital Trustees, was offered yesterday by Auctioneer Morgan, but brought no bidders. The property is a leasehold with ten years to run and an upset price of \$2500 per annum was asked.

LAVINIA GOES
FOR "CRUISE"

The little schooner Lavinia sets sail at ten o'clock this morning for the South Seas on what Captain Welsbath calls a "cruise." The immediate destination of the schooner is Palmyra Island which lies some 1000 miles southwest of this port in latitude 6 north. This is one of the chain of islands which includes Fanning, Washington and Christmas Islands. The island is uninhabited but is very fertile and covered with coconut trees. It is the coconuts that Captain Welsbath says will be his cargo on the return trip. His idea is to anchor off the reef and bring the nuts off in boats.

There is plenty of fresh water on the island and all one has to do to obtain it is to sink a barrel in the sand and it soon will be full. There is some guano but most of it has been removed and the remainder is not in sufficient quantity to pay for a trip. Palmyra is not definitely under the control of any nation although when it was last occupied it was supposed to be British soil. Captain Welsbath expects to be away for two months and possibly for ten weeks. He takes a crew of five men.

The Lavinia took on about two and one-half tons of rock ballast yesterday for stiffening and will throw it out when she gets her cargo. The water tanks were filled and provisions for the voyage taken aboard. The schooner has been thoroughly overhauled and is in first-class condition. A new suit of sails has been bent with the exception of the flying jib which will be bent this morning.

"I am going to cruise around the islands and return to Honolulu," said Captain Welsbath last night. "If I had those bird skins I wouldn't bring them to this port," he continued with a twinkle in his eye. "I know too much to do that. No, I'm only 'cruising.' I was in with Schlemmer but as I was not getting any regular wages but had to risk not getting anything as I did the last time, I could not afford to do that way."

There is some talk that Welsbath may command the new schooner that Schlemmer is to purchase for the Laysan Island guano trade. There are also those who are of the opinion that the captain's "cruise" is likely to be a profitable one and that the little schooner may take on feathers and fly to San Francisco. However, who knows?

COURT NOTES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND CIRCUIT, TERRITORY OF HAWAII, IN PROBATE—AT CHAMBERS.

In the Matter of the Estate of William Keamo, late of Keoneolo, Honolulu, Maui, Deceased. Before Judge A. N. Kepoika.

Order of notice of petition for allowance of final accounts and discharge in this estate.

On reading and filing the petition and accounts of J. D. Keamo, Administrator of the above entitled estate, wherein he asks to be allowed \$256.19, and he charges himself with \$197.44, and asks that the same may be examined and approved, and that a final order may be made of distribution of the property remaining in his hands to the persons thereto entitled, and discharging him and his sureties from all further responsibility as such Administrator.

It is ordered, that Tuesday, the 25th day of October, A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock a. m., before the Judge of said court at the Court room of the said court at Wailuku, Island of Maui, be and the same hereby is appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition and accounts, and that all persons interested may then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted, and may present evidence as to who are entitled to the said property.

Dated at Wailuku, Maui, this 10th day of September, 1924.

EDMUND H. HART,
Clerk of the Circuit Court of the Second Circuit.

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